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HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD

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RESOLUTION NO. 04-08

WHEREAS, The Higher Education Coordinating Board's *Guidelines for Program Planning, Approval, and Review* require new degree programs to undergo a three-stage review process; and

WHEREAS, The public four-year institutions have submitted their 2005-2007 institutional academic program plans for Board review and consideration in accordance with the *Guidelines*; and

WHEREAS, The enactment of Substitute House Bill 3103 extends the Board's program planning and approval roles and responsibilities;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Higher Education Coordinating Board defers taking action on the 2005-2007 institutional academic program plans until it has adopted updated program approval policies, processes, and practices in keeping with the provisions of HB 3103 as enacted April 1, 2004, by the Legislature and Governor.

Adopted:

May 20, 2004

Attest:

Bob Craves, Chair

nn Ramsay-Jonkins, Secretary